

ADMINISTERING DEVICES WITH  
DOMAIN STATE OBJECTS

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ABSTRACT

10 Exemplary embodiments of the present invention include a method for administering  
devices. Such embodiments include creating, in a first domain, a domain state object,  
and transmitting the domain state object from the first domain to a second domain. In  
many exemplary embodiments, creating, in a first domain, a domain state object  
includes creating a current device state object, and associating the current device state  
object with the domain state object.